

PROPOSED TAX RATE

With the Exception of the Above, Last Night's Council Meeting Was Devoid of Interest.

The only question of any importance raised at the regular meeting of the city council last evening was that of the tax rate, and it was not finally decided.

The session, as usual, commenced late, it being about fifteen minutes past eight before a quorum could be obtained. Aldermen Crawford, Macleod and Hall were absent.

A petition for a six foot plank sidewalk along the south side of Saskatchewan Avenue from the northwest corner of block 104 to the northeast corner of block B, was referred to the public works committee to report.

Mr. Thos. Anderson wrote, complaining that the C. P. R. were cutting up and blocking the streets in carrying out their extensions, and that his property in the southeast portion of the city was unfairly out. He had, he said, to come north to Whyte Avenue, a distance of a mile or over, to cross the tracks from west to east. He had had a crossing but gave it up when he sold part of his property to the city, thinking another crossing would be provided. South Avenue was the original southern boundary of the city of South Edmonton. The crossing there could not, Mr. Anderson claimed, be closed without the permission of the Dominion government.

The communication was referred to the engineer and city solicitor.

A chance for some alderman or city official to distinguish himself was offered in a letter from the secretary of the Union of Alberta Municipalities, asking whether any of the Strathcona delegates would be willing to read a paper at the annual convention to be held in Moose Jaw on the 10th and 11th of September. None of the aldermen, however, thirsted for fame of that kind, and the engineer and solicitor vainly disclaimed all intention of distinguishing themselves in such manner.

Another communication was read from Mr. Anderson, this time with reference to the sewerage from the brewery, which was being emptied on to his property on Walter's flat.

In reference to this matter the mayor said that he had, in company with the sanitary inspector and the engineer, looked over Mr. Anderson's property. Sewerage was spreading over the ground in three separate places, and certain lines of communication. The board of health had taken the matter in hand and would probably have a report to make at the next meeting of the council.

Mr. F. C. Jamieson, on behalf of "B" squadron C.M.B., asked for the use of the council chamber on Saturday evenings for purposes of instruction.

It was resolved that the request be granted.

The secretary was authorized to purchase a Burroughs adding machine for use in his department.

In a letter to the mayor Messrs. Campbell and Lucas disclaimed any intention of putting up the price of tobacco in case a license were imposed on tobacco dealers, and stating that the agitation against the license was originated by small dealers who sold tobacco at less than cost price to assist their other lines.

The following accounts were referred to committees to be paid if correct:

Canadian General Electric	
Co. of	\$ 97.77
W. E. Ross	4.50
" "	15
" "	1.40
" "	15.10
" "	37.00
" "	29.00
" "	13.95
R. E. Pringle Co.	144.77
R. W. Lundgren	150.00
C. F. H.	92.08

Reports of committees was the next order of business, and when the mayor called for a report on the proposed tobacco license the reporters grabbed their file pencils and prepared for a lively debate, but were disappointed to find that Alderman Crawford, chairman of the committee having the matter in hand, was absent and no report was ready.

The engineer reported that the cost

LIABILITIES

Half a Million

Chicago, Sept. 3.—Disparaged by the condition of his financial affairs and on the verge of a physical breakdown, Jesse E. Hall, president of the Belding Hall Manufacturing Co., is on the other side of the Canadian border awaiting the result of the investigation now being made by the company's creditors. Clay Clement, the actor with whom Mr. Hall was associated in a theatrical venture last evening of accompanying Mr. Hall to Detroit. Developments indicate that the venture of the refrigerator manufacturer into theatrical business when he backed "Sam Houston," was lost a drop in the bucket with his financial ventures. According to Mr. Clement, who played the title role in this production, Mr. Hall invested only a small sum of money in the play, doing this because he had a hand in the writing of it. The liabilities of the Belding Hall Manufacturing Company are estimated at \$500,000 to \$700,000.

A by-law was introduced fixing the tax rate at 10 mills on the dollar, made up of 6.67 mills for general purposes and 3 1/2 mills for public school purposes. The Roman Catholic school rate was also 3 1/2 mills. A discount of ten per cent on taxes paid before December 15th was provided for.

Alderman McFarland, where the by-law was considered in committee of the whole, said he thought the rate was too low, and when Mayor Mills proposed to report the by-law to the council, the alderman objected and suggested that the matter be left over to the next meeting.

The mayor proposed an adjournment until Friday as a compromise. A meeting on that night would, he thought, be desirable, as it would also give them an opportunity of receiving the report of the board of health, and the sewerage from the brewery on to Mr. Anderson's property, and of acting on the report.

Alderman McFarland said the matter was perfectly simple. The brewery was to be obliged to dispose of their sewage. The difficulty was between Mr. Anderson and the city, and did not concern the city.

Alderman Rankin concurred in this opinion, but the mayor said the city would probably have to do the financing. They wanted a sewer system put in which would be satisfactory to them as well as to the company. They might have a system put in which would serve the whole flat.

Coming back to the tax rate, Alderman McFarland moved that the committee of the whole report progress in the matter and ask permission to sit again at the next meeting of the council, and the motion was adopted.

When the adjournment was moved by Alderman Rankin, the mayor urged an adjourned session on Friday evening to deal with the matter of the sewerage from the brewery, but Alderman Rankin and McFarland reiterated their argument that it was unnecessary and eventually they carried their point.

Klondike Output is Small

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 3.—Former Yukon Commissioner McInnis, now the representative in the north for the Guggenheim interests, returned from Dawson today with the news that the output of the Klondike this year would not be over \$3,000,000. This was due to the abnormally small supply of water for hydraulic, the large concerns being practically out of business. The Guggenheims are, however, putting in seventy miles of ditches, which will supply by next July a tremendous head of water. On account of the low water in the Yukon there will be a shortage in food supply in Dawson this winter, not a famine, but sufficiently bad to cause inconvenience.

Five Million Bushels Inspected

(Special to the Chronicle)

Calgary, September 4.—The annual report of Grain Inspector Hill shows that during the past year he inspected cars containing 5,330,000 bushels of grain at this point.

Three Alberta Riflemen For Bisley

(Special to the Chronicle)

Ottawa, September 4.—Three out of the ten members of the Alberta Rifle Association competing at the Dominion Rifle Association meet here have won places on the Bisley team.

Field Trials Began Monday

London, Man., Sept. 3.—The field trials of the Western Canada Kennel Club opened yesterday with excellent weather conditions, and both stakes were run off in the one day, there being sixteen entries in the all-age stake, and twelve in the Derby, the majority of them class dogs. The first prize in the all-age stake went to Minto, owned by A. Code, of Winnipeg; second W. Lee's Garry L., and third to A. Gale's Jack Johnson. In the Derby, a remarkable class list, first went to Flying Jib, belonging to A. Gale, second to Nipper, owned by H. Wood, and third was divided between Doctor, owned by J. B. Trites, and Lou, owned by J. W. MacNamara.

Two Auto Fatalities

Denver, Colo., Sept. 3.—W. B. Feltz, a thirty-five year old man, and E. J. Duggan, were killed in a fifty mile auto race at Overland Park yesterday afternoon. Duggan was with Phil Kirk in the car, "Jack Rabbit," and on reaching the mile was thrown from the car. He fell on his head, and his skull was crushed.

Grand Forks, N. D., Sept. 4.—Mrs. G. Clifford, of Grand Forks, a leader in social circles and the wife of an investment banker was fatally injured yesterday in an automobile accident west of Ashby, Minn. About fifteen miles of Fergus Falls. Mrs. Clifford died less than an hour after being injured, her skull being fractured, which has since turned backward down hill and over turned.

Decorations For Col. Hendrie.

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—The Governor General has just posted the following: "We were authorized to announce His Majesty's order that the following gentlemen be appointed to the rank of Colonel in the Order of the Royal Victoria Order."

Writs For By-Elections Issued Yesterday

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—The writs for the Brockville and St. John elections were issued today. The nominations will take place on September 18, and the elections on the 24th. These elections are to elect members to fill the vacancies in the cabinet.

Train Jumped Rails

Six Passengers Killed.

Toronto, September 3.—An exhibition special was wrecked on the C.P.R. near Caledon. It was running fast to make up lost time and jumped the rails. Six passengers are dead and twenty-one injured. The latter are being brought to hospital. The dead are: Norman Tucker, Fleisher; John Thurston, Walters; James Baker, Perth; three bodies not yet identified.

Postage on Drop Letters May Be Reduced

(Special to the Chronicle)

Ottawa, Sept. 4.—The Postmaster General is stated on good authority to be considering the advisability of reducing the postage on drop letters to one cent.

Teddy the Peacemaker

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—President Roosevelt and President Diaz simultaneously have telegraphed notes to the presidents of the five republics of Central America offering the good offices of the United States and Mexico in bringing about a conference of the republics for a discussion of peace.

Shot by Unknown Person.

Duluth, Sept. 3.—Nichol Nicolovich, a Montegran miner, residing in Chisholm, was fatally murdered Sunday night, just outside his home. He was shot by some unknown person. Nine Montegrans were arrested on suspicion. The prisoners stoutly assert their innocence and lay the blame for the killing on the miners' union, which is on strike.

Minneapolis Has a Big Blaze

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 3.—Fire at an early hour this morning destroyed the large screening shed of the W. P. Devereaux Company, 25th Avenue, southeast of the Great North tower. The loss amounted to about \$10,000, which is partially covered by insurance. For a time the entire elevator district along the river was threatened with destruction. Flames leaping from the screening shed swept against the timbering of the elevated railway 75 feet away and had it not been for the excellent work of the fire department the structure would have been destroyed with several other elevators in the vicinity.

Won't Act on Hall's Complaint

Mr. E. J. Flavin is in receipt of a communication from Corporal McInnis, winner of the Governor General's prize at Ottawa stating that he has been asked to shoot for the Canadian team against a team from the United States for the Palma trophy on the 7th inst. "I will therefore be a week or ten days before McInnis arrives home."

Cut His Throat In Hotel

(Special to the Chronicle)

Medicine Hat, Sept. 4.—A man named Hamilton Miller was found lying in a Maple Creek hotel this morning with his throat cut. The case is believed to be one of suicide, but no cause for the tragedy can be assigned.

A Crazy Farmer's Crime

(Special to the Chronicle)

Winnipeg, Sept. 4.—Mat Brechler, a farmer in Minnesota, yesterday committed a murderous attack on his daughter, lathering her over the head with a hammer. He afterwards attempted suicide. Brechler is believed to be insane.

Positive Neglect.

To the Editor of the Independent, Stettin.

Dear Sir: Hoping that you will allow me a little space in the columns of your wide read and interesting paper, I venture to put before you and your readers the chief grievance of the people in this district in connection with the very inadequate postal service. It is now nearly ten months since the member for this district was approached at a banquet given in his honor at Stettin, on the subject of having a post office established at Lethbridge, on the S. W. quarter of Sec. 6-39-14, and since that time we have been possessing our souls in patience, daily expecting to hear what the member's representation to the postal department had had the desired result, and that a post office would be shortly opened. It was at the beginning of November that both Member McIntyre and Senator Talbot presented the matter should have their attention and also since a largely signed petition was sent to the department. Now we are all beginning to be uneasy about Mr. McIntyre, and to wonder whether he is yet in the land of the living, or whether he is so busy looking after his private interests, that he has no time to attend to those duties with which he was entrusted by his constituents, and for which purpose they sent him to Ottawa.

The district that would be served by the "Lauderdale" post office is a well populated one and is five miles from the nearest existing office, which fact causes an untold amount of inconvenience to the residents hereabouts. The proposed office is situated on the direct mail route to Ingelton, and so would entail very little additional expense on the department with the big surplus, which surplus is not to be wondered at, if the treatment we have received in any criticism of the manner in which the public servants fail to employ their funds collected from the public. I venture to say that were this surplus used to good advantage in giving the public more post offices and more competent officials the postal department would be a credit to the Liberal Government instead of a laughing disgrace as it is at present.

In passing I would say that in view of the forthcoming general election it is very probable that one of the other of the Liberal candidates will be around our way, and of course the treatment we have received in this matter they may be assured of a warm welcome.

Apologizing for the length of this letter and thanking you in anticipation, I am, Sir,

"One of the Sufferers."

SPORTS

Baseball

Calgary and Edmonton Took one Each

Edmonton played two games with Calgary yesterday, and each took one. Both games were very even, as the scores, 5-4 and 2-1 indicate. In the first game, which was won by the southmen, McInnis pitched for Edmonton and McClelland for the victors. McInnis was not quite as difficult as usual, while McClelland was no puzzle to the Edmonton batters, who, however, appeared unable to hit him. The game was a tie until the eighth, when Calgary got a single which gave them the victory.

The second game was in doubt right up to the last innings, each team having one run to their credit at the end of the eighth. As darkness was fast coming on it looked as though the game would have to be called a tie, but in the last Edmonton got the winning run with none out. Erickson and Barnstead were the slab artists.

Medicine Hat Forfeited Game to Lethbridge.

WESTERN CANADA LEAGUE.

Standing of clubs: W. L. Pts.

Medicine Hat	56	33	626
Edmonton	50	32	620
Lethbridge	39	44	470
Calgary	25	59	295

Preparing for Ontario Elections

Toronto, Sept. 3.—An election in Ontario is forecasted by the announcement that Premier Whitney and several ministers will leave for Toronto this afternoon to the press conference on the stump since taking office. The election will likely take place next June. The voters' lists are already being prepared.

Tried to Board Moving Train

(Special to the Chronicle)

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 4.—Patrick Scully, of Paris, Ont., was killed in the railway yards here this morning while trying to catch a moving freight train. He missed his footing and fell under the wheels.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

In last night's issue of the local organ, in anticipation of a business meeting of the board of trade to be held tonight to discuss the question of the secretary's status, a two-column rebuke of the arguments used by the editor of the Plaindealer in May last, when his mental aberration first showed itself, appeared.

The Plaindealer editor acted for some years as secretary of the board of trade, and two years ago became its president. While acting as secretary he saw every copy of his paper, drew a salary from the board of trade, and patronage from the government, which Liberal and Conservative alike paid. During his term of office there were elections held in which he took an active part and actually appeared on the platform and so far as he was able wrote partisan articles in his paper.

It is quite consistent, to say the least of it, for Mr. James Hamilton McDonald, L.L.B., K.C., Ma., to object to the present secretary of the board of trade acting as editor of the Chronicle? The fact of the matter is that James Hamilton McDonald, L.L.B., K.C., Ma. isn't worried about the salary of the secretary nor the dual position. He is not honest, either with himself or the public, or he would admit that envy, jealousy, fear and hate are at the bottom of his running race.

He had the newspaper field all to himself for years. He was a sort of little autocrat, a veritable little tin god. He had the power of the press, locally, in his own little hand, and everything was grist to his little mill.

One day the city grew out of its baby clothes, and the board of trade officials, sought the services of a secretary.

The people clamored also for a daily paper. The Plaindealer man was first approached but declined to touch the enterprise. The Chronicle began. The little Bear thought his prerogatives were being interfered with and he roared. He almost said out loud in his paper "Who is this you have brought here that takes back at me, who have lived among you for fourteen years? Treason! Treason!"

But the people of Strathcona no longer live in a small village. They do not bow the knee to the village Bad of a few years ago. They have actually begun imposing crows, and their advance along the line toward city airs is remarkable. Of course, the man who helped in his own small way to provide the city with a daily paper, is the man who has the arrows in the quiver of this village organ, which after all is useful because it is so stupid that it is funny, so dull that it is entertaining, and so absurd that it is interesting. It is, though, a fakir, a fraud, a whitish sepiator, and in its pretensions patronage of the board of trade, a natural son of Ananias.

Its witty assaults on the secretary are always set by hand, so that, unlike the rest of the paper, they may be read, and provide work for the printer, and that is something.

The man who is big enough to be

A Proposition.

If James Hamilton McDonald will give the editor of the Chronicle the amount of the Government patronage he has received since his connection with the Plaindealer began, the editor of the Chronicle will undertake to give James Hamilton McDonald the amount of his salary from the Board of Trade since his connection with it began in March last.

Here is an opportunity for the Plaindealer editor to be just, generous, fair, consistent, truthful and honest. It opens up a new field to him surely.

himself always evokes enemies who hang upon his coat tails and eternally cry "abuse". They grasp with a death clutch, and not until he is dead and they are dead does the yelping of the pack cease.

The stupid can not forgive him for not being as stupid as they themselves, and the hypocrite, intent on robbery, resent the blocking of their trick games by his answering watchfulness.

"When you see a toad with its whiskers full of feathers, do not say 'Canary'—he'll take offense!"

BARBERS AGAIN! BE GOSH!

The meeting tonight, says the Chronicle, paid publisher of the poorest paper in the province, will be an "operation." If so it will be a bad place for little men with waddy wads.

James Hamilton McDonald, Esq., has contributed "directly and indirectly" to the salary of James Weir. James Weir has contributed to James Hamilton McDonald's government, and it makes our heart bleed.

There is this difference, however, that the former's contribution covers several years, while the latter's covers several years.

The article in last night's issue of a local organ is the old "buggy" of Mr. MacDonald's, but better, no worse. The familiar phrase "scoundrel" appears in all its pristine strength and beauty.

The remark is quite significant in view of the fact that Jimmy Hamilton's "snake in the grass" question. That immortal phrase belongs not to us but to a Premier of this province and we assigned proper credit when we used it. Our early days in the city were made miserable by the frequency with which we were told that "Jimmy Hamilton" (that is the exact expression) had been and criticized Mr. Mills. Now, however, they are quite allomoseque and "Gentlemen" and it makes our heart bleed.

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Horace Walpole's Prophecy That May Yet Be Fulfilled.

In the year 1784 the problem of human flight was occupying prominent place in the public mind, as it is today. The Frenchman Jean Blanchard had just made his first ascent from Paris in a balloon filled with hydrogen. He took with him wings and a rudder, apparently promising to fly, but found them useless. Later Blanchard crossed the channel in his aerial machine. Horace Walpole comments on the doings of the "aironauts," as he calls them. "You see," he writes, "the air-nauts have passed the Atlantic. By their own account they were exact birds. They flew through the air, perched on the top of a tree; some passengers climbed up and took them in their nest." After seeing a balloon descending Walpole assumes himself by meditating on the future of what he calls "air-nauts." He sees the art of flying perfected and disposing of navigation. Flomphing reports become "deserted villages," while Salisbury plain, Newmarket beach and the downs become desirable for aerial vessels. Public roads become useless, are broken up and thus made more available for the use of the air-nauts. Walpole's prophecies may yet be fulfilled.—*Fabian Glegg*

BUSINESS SUCCESS.

Don't Try to Do a General and a Private at the Same Time.
When you are so burdened in the deal of your business that you cannot get a clear, sharp view of your affairs in all their relations, you are in danger of failure.

No great genius ever takes a grand leap with his shoulders. He would be stuck in the mire, and he would not watch the movements of the enemy, could not see where his own troops needed reinforcement, and would be liable to be surprised and routed.

If you are going to be a general in business, you must keep where you can get a clear view of your affairs and know what is going on everywhere.

Many a man fails in trying to be a general and a private at the same time.—O. S. Marston in Success Magazine.

A Hypothetical Question.
"Miss de Synthe," began the young man, "I want to ask you a hypothetical question."

The girl nodded assent.
"If a young man of good family and sound health and an assured income of \$5,000 were to meet the most charming of girls and feed her for cream for a year; if she had a complexion like a rose, hair a crown of golden glory, the hand of a fairy, the bearing of a queen; if he knew how not to play the piano, was versed in cooking, competent to superintend a house, and a young man, anxiously catching the young girl alone, were to murmur into her ear of pearl, 'Will you marry me now, in your estimation, would be her condition of mind and what her answer?'"

"While not an expert alienist," responded the girl coyly. "I think she'd believe him a dunce for being so serious, but she'd say 'Yes.'"

With the preliminary's thus settled, the naming of the day was a simple matter.

Bees Faster Than Pigeons.

It is not generally known that bees are swifter in flight than pigeons—that is, for short distances. In fact, a pigeon flying from France, Westphalia, had a wager that a dozen bees liberated from their hives would reach home in less time than a dozen pigeons. The competitors were given wings at Lyons, a village nearly a league from Hamme, and the first bee reached the hive a quarter of a minute in advance of the first pigeon. Three other bees reached the goal before the second pigeon. The bees were also slightly handicapped, having been rolled in flour before starting for purpose of identification.

Style in Writing.
We cannot all be Macquays, but we can greatly improve our style by close study of observing his, that of equally notable writers, by being careful to avoid the faults of Macquay, and by imitating the great and by not imitating the great Dr. Johnson, who content to use hackneyed words at once pure and forcible in conversation, generally resorted, with a pen in his hand, to those long Latin forms which his lord loved.—O. C. Williams in London Capital.

A Pair of Them.
Mrs. Tucker—(Sighing). I wish you wouldn't play with that Plango boy any more.
Tucker—Gee! I'm only playing with him because his mamma told him that if he had anything more to do with that Tucker boy she'd spank him.

A Chatty Old Lady.
The following advertisement appears in a fashionable English newspaper: "Lately lady wishes to exchange scandal with another. Replies required only from those in the best society."

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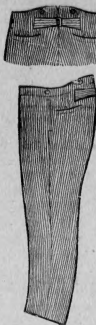
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Strictly speaking, it is not overwork—that is, in the aggregate—fat kills. It is too much work done in too little time that causes so many breakdowns today. Work pure and simple, however hard or constant, seldom impairs the health, if only ordinary hygienic precautions are observed. Mental and bodily labor will in reasonable limits tend rather to prolong life than to fray its thread. Even overwork may do less injury than underwork—that rare and obscure calamity from which no body is supposed to suffer.—Success.

HOME FINANCING.

The Ever Present Problem of Providers For the Future.

There is one problem that dominates the home—an obvious, pervasive problem, that oftentimes fills the whole horizon of life—one that, like Banquo's ghost, "will not down." It is the ever present question of home financing. When we have mastered the "to have" the incident of the "no land" contracts us. It is the question of providing for the home which can never be properly answered until we realize that "provide" is a verb that should ever be conjugated in two tenses, present and future.

There is in our American life too often a blind optimism in living up to income, in assuming that because the sun of prosperity shines warmly today there is no need of providing umbrellas for a possible rainy tomorrow. Those who wisely live within an income rarely have to face the problem of trying to live without one. There are two simple guarantees against future poverty and dependence on others, two great safeguards for home and family—a bank book and an insurance policy. They represent the material defense of the home, a bulwark of love's forethought standing strong and firm in the hour of need.—Ladies.

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"Indeed!" said the friend. "What is his name?"

"Why, I can't recall his name," admitted Mr. Martin, "but the voice stays in my mind. Why, man, he sang way up above the scales with perfect ease."

Italian View of English Police.

The English police force does not shine for its ability in unraveling mysteries or in arresting daring criminals. Statistics show that not less than 20,000 persons disappear unaccounted for from London every year. In many other cases these strange vanishings are a direct consequence of crimes that in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred go unknown or unpunished. When arrests do follow, especially in thefts and burglaries of importance, they are in variously due to interested betrayal which puts the detective on the direct scent. If there is no informant, the police do nothing.

Wronged.

"But her father objected. 'He's a spendthrift. He has no sense of the value of money.'"

"Oh, you're mistaken, papa!" she answered him. "He can make a dollar go as far as any one. Last night he showed me one that he had carried around the world as a pocket piece."

Absentminded.

"Your wife has fallen downstairs and is seriously hurt," screamed an excited neighbor over the telephone.

"What's her address?" asked the astounded editor. "I'll send a reporter up to see if he can get her picture."

Explanation.

Green—I thought Dray, the architect, was quite wealthy. Brown—Well, you thought right. Green—but he has recently been declared a bankrupt. Brown—Naturally. He undertook to build a house for himself.

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